

DRAWS THE CAPITAL PRIZE OF \$75,000.

REPORT OF THE BOSTON RE-LIEF COMMITTEE.

EXPOSURE OF THE HARPENDING DIAMOND SWINDLE.

MAYOR HALL TO ASSUME THE EDITORSHIP OF THE HER-

DEATH OF A FAMOUS SURGEON.

ETC. ETC. ETC. [Reported Especially for the Cairo Bulletin.]

THE LIBRARY LOTTERY. LOUISVILLE, Dec. 7 .- The managers and trustees of the Public Library lottery drawing and many ticket holders met in Weissenger ball as early as 6 o'clock this morning. At 8:45, all prepaarations having been completed, the draw-

ing commenced. Blind boys drew the tickets from the wheels. The first thirty one numbers drew prizes ranging from \$75 to \$150. The thirty-second number, 6,450, DREW THE CAPITAL PRIZE \$76,000. amidst great applause. Number 71,116 drew \$1,500; 67.252 drew \$1,500; 49.929; drew \$11,250; 28,688 drew \$18,750; 70,-646 drew \$15,000; 66,821 drew \$4,500; 82,157 drew \$2,250; 56,556 drew \$6,750

45,311 drew \$5,250; 99,990 drew \$3,750, 38,411 drew \$1,500; 19,433 drew \$3,-000; 57,979 drew \$6,000; 59,111 drew \$3,750; 73,042 drew \$,500; 33,489 drew \$1,500. The drawing closed at 6 o'clock, the president announcing the next drawing to come off April 8th next, and the scheme to comprise 10,000 gifts. A number of the most prominent citizens of Louisville took part in the drawing, and were on the stage during the day, and sayeral prominent citizens from other states-THE DIAMOND SWINDLE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7 .- J. B. Cooper's statement to the executive committee of Harpending Diamond company is to the following effect: "Was book-keeper of the diamond drill company here; knew Arnold six years; Arnold knew much about diamonds; learned more of Cooper about way in which they were deposited by nature, and the kind of ground he thought could produce diamonds. Cooper said the diamonds were generally found in beds of extinct rivers in tropical countries in gravelly soil. Arnold said in Arizona he saw an Indian chiefs wife with a bracelet of sparkling stones, and obtained it from her, and said he would go back and look for the deposits, and on his return told Cooper he had a 'big thing' in view. Slack and himself were the only persons who knew the secret, and offered Cooper great inducements to get him into the TROUBLES IN LOUISIANA scheme. In 1871 he made a trip with Arnold and Slack to New Mexico, and collected a number of rubies and returned talists interested in the plans. Arnold suggested overtures to Harpending, a gen- THE CITIZENS OF NEW ORtleman of high standing and convenient in in money matters. Arnold then wrote to Harpending, in London, asking his cooperation in developing the diamond mines. Arnold and Slack then went to New York and enlisted Barlow. When REPUBLICANS OF BOSTON Harpending reached that city from London, Arnold exhibited the gems. A counsel was held, and Harpending came to San Francisco to form the company. Arnold now saw he might make a bold strike, and took \$50,000, crossed the Canada line, and sailed from Quebec to London. In London he made the acquaintance of two American sailors, whom he paid \$500 each, bound by oath of secrecy to concealed business, ordered them to go to different jewellers in London and buy diamonds; got in that way \$37,000 worth of them; took the steamer for Quebec, crossed the border, and went to St. Louis, thence to Arizona; brought a large lot of rubies, garnet and sapphires, and then returned to San Francisco, and had a counsel with Cooper, Roberts, Harpending, Arnold and Dodge, and then went to New York, but Wall street men were sharp and they did not meet with much success; they wanted some one in whom New York men could place confidence; Janin was suggested; Janin was consulted and permitted to test some dismonds. He then accepted the offer to go to the field; but Slack and Arnold were to go ahead to Denver, and pilot them from that place to the field. They went on and selected a place near Bonner mountain, and on a few acres of ground scattered diamonds and other precious stones and the party was piloted into the field, and they hunted for diamonds. At the close of each day Arnold would tell Janin the value of the gems found during the day, and on this Janin made a report. Party then took the train for San Francisco; but Slack remained to watch the

Thus far elicited from the witness. RELIEF COMMITTEE REPORT. Boston, Dec. 7 .- The executive and finance relief committees for the aid of sufferers, state that the central relief committee, who have charge of persons burnt out, comprising between 800 to 1,000 families, the committee for the assistance of men thrown out of employment, who received and investigated 15,00 applications, and the committee for the relief of women thrown out of employment, who received and investigated 4,800 applications severally, e have given aid to all applicants who desired it, and they must continue to do so for some weeks. On this account the committee will require an additional sum for the proper completion

claims, and above all to recover the prec-

ious stones deposited there by Arnold."

A careful estimate of our further wants, leads to the conviction that not less than \$15,000 will be required to give relief, which ought still be given independently of the special fund for firemen. The sum at the disposal of the general committee is about \$50,000, which will be exhausted in

lieve the people of Boston are perfectly able to meet this demand without difficulty, and that they desire and ought to desire to meet it themselves. STOCK GAMBLERS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7 .- A rumor prevailed on the streets to-day, that several of the leading bankers and merchants propose to call a meeting of the chamber of commerce to take action in regard to merchants and bankers engaged with notorious stock gamblers in locking up money for the purpose of depressing and deranging business generally.

MAYOR HALL TO BE AN EDITOR. NEW YORK, Dec. 7 .- It is reported that Mayor Hall is to assume the editorial chair of the Herald, January 1st. Bennett shortly leaves on a two years European trip.

DEATH OF A PAMOUS SURGEON. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7 .- Dr. Warren Stone, the famous surgeon, died this evening at 6 o'clock. He was sixty-five years

MYSTERY EXPLAINED. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 7 .- The mystery at Dover, Del., has been explained. Professor West was not killed. It now turns out that he killed a colored man whom he hired temporarily. After the man was dead, he cut his hands and feet off and burned them. His object was to make the authorities believe the body was his, so that his wife could obtain an insurance of \$25,000 on his life. He acknowledged he killed the negro, but in self-defence. West is now in jail.

# FOREIGN.

THE SITUATION IN FRANCE BELIEVED TO BE IM-PROVING.

THIERS AND THE COMMITTEE OF THIRTY REPORTED TO BE IN UNISON.

A DEPUTATION OF AMERICANS CALL ON THE POPE.

[Reported Especially for the Bulletin.] THE BITUATION IMPROVING.

Paris, Dec. 7 .- The President of the committee of 30 met last night, and had a long and friendly conversation with President Thiers. The situation is believed to be improving. TRIERS AND THE COMMITTEE OF THIRTY.

Paris, Dec. 7 .- It is reported this evening that Thiers and the committee of thirty will act in unison in elaborating constitutional proposals to be submitted to the assembly. The appointments of Goufard to be minister of the interior. Leon Hay, minister of finance, and fourteen ministers of public works are certain. It is also announced that Calmont is to be appointed prefect of the department of the Seine, which is regarded as a concession to the party of the right.

AMERICANS WITH THE POPE. Rome, Dec. 7 .- A deputation of Americans had an audience with the pope yesterday, and presented addresses, expressing devotion of American Catholics to the holy see. The pope made a feeling response and concluded by giving his blessing to the Catholics of America.

### POLITICAL.

ATTRACTING THE ATTEN-TION OF THE AD-MINISTRA. TION.

LEANS SEND A DELEGATION TO WASHINGTON TO CON-FER WITH THE ADMIN-ISTRATION.

WANT A CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR.

E ALABAMA DEMOCRATIC DELEGATION BEFORE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

HON, A. G. CURTIN PAYS HIS RE-SPECTS TO THE PRESI-DENT.

ETC., ETC., ETC.

[Reported Especially for the Bulletin.] LOUISIANA.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7 .- The customhouse returning board this morning promulgated the election returns for members of the legislature, which differ materially from those promulgated Thursday by the governors' returning board. No election returns have yet been delivered by the state authorities to the custom-house board. The Republican says: "We publish this morning the official report of the election of members of the legislature. This report has been unavoidably delayed by events that have excited the public even since the election, but it fortunately is in time for all practical purposes". It will be observed that there is a decided Republican majority in both branches of the general assembly. Federal troops still hold possession of the state-house. Two legislatures will probably assemble, one recognized by the governor, the other by the custom-house.

TO-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS. WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .- The following was received this afternoon :

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7. Attorney General, Washington:
The returning board provided for by a law of 1870, under which an election was had, and which the court sustains, promulgated in the official journal this morning the result of the election for legislature. The house stands 77 Republicans to 32 Democrats; senate, 18 Republicans to 8 Democrats. The board counted the bal-lots attached to affidavits of colored persons wrongfully prevented from voting, filed with the chief supervisor.

[Signed] S. P. PACKARD,

United States Marshal.

CITIZENS DISQUSTED. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7 .- This evening prominent capitalists and property-holders held a meeting, at which it was resolved that a delegation of representative men of the city, be at once dispatched to Washington to represent the exact status

the points of their respective statements be laid before the president for action of the Federal government. It is stated upon official authority that it is the intention of the government to sustain the U. S. court its decree. This has already been communicated by telegraph to gentlemen in New Orleans who requested official advice in the premises.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .- A large number of visitors paid their respects to the president to-day; among them were A. G. Curtin, Senator Wilson and several other senators and representatives.

SOLDIER'S HOME. The commissioners of the soldier's home, with the approval of the president and secretary of war, decided to increase and improve the grounds of that institution by the purchase of the Harewood country seat of Mr. Corcoran, near the home. The terms of purchase are very advantageous to the home.

WANT A CANDIDATE Boston, Dec. 7 .- The Republicans are unable to get anyone to be a candidate for mayor, the last nominee, E. S. Tolbey, having declined. In the meantime the citizen's movement has been started by the nomination of H. S. Pierce, who declined the straight Republican nomination, with a ticket of aldermen, including four Demo-

### HORSE DISEASE.

THE EPIDEMIC INCREASING IN ST. LOUIS.

INCREASE IN SICK HORSES. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 7 .- The epizootic is still on the increase, and there are but few animals except mules and oven now seen on the streets. All street railroads have withdrawn their cars, except the Fifth street and Franklin avenue lines, and they are only running a limited number of cars. Chief Engineer Sexton to-day organized companies of twenty-five men at each fire engine-house, and meetings are to be held to-morrow to organize a volunteer force in each fire district to act in consinction with the paid men. It is now thought by those most intimate with the horse malady, including veterinary surgeons, that it will easily disappear in the course of a week or ten days.

## WEATHER REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .- In the Northwest, thence to the Upper lakes and south-ward to the Ohio valley southwesterly winds, threatening weather, followed by rain and snow. In the South Atlantic and Gulf states clear and cool weather, with south westerly to north westerly winds. On the Lower lakes and thence extending by to-morrow to the Eastern and Middle states threatening weather and occasional rain. In the St. Lawrence valley falling barometer, southwesterly winds and cloudy weather. Warning signals continue at Duluth, Chicago, Grand Haven and Milwaukee and are ordered for De trolt, Toledo and Cleveland.

# MARKET REPORT.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7 .- Flour firmly held in fair demand and unchanged. Wheat irregular, future spot steady \$1 10;@1 11; \$1 11;@1 12 January; \$1 13;@1 14 February; No 1 quiet \$1 18;@1 31. Corn steady demand moderate 801@301c cash December, 31c January, 351c July. Oats easier fair demand 251c cash December or easier fair demand 20gc cash December or January; 26c February. Rye strong 60@ 60åc. Barley dull easier, No 2 61@61¢c spot; 61c January. Pork dull weak and offered at \$11 75 cash December January; \$12 March. Lard lower, sales at 7c casb; 7½c March. S P hams quiet and un-changed; other products quiet and held at previous prices. Dressed hogs quiet nominal \$4 50@4 75. Whiskey quiet nominally 884c. Sr. Louis, Dec. 7.—Flour dull. Wheat

Sr. Louis, Dec. 7.—Flour dull. Wheat flat. Corn dull at 28c on track. Oats dull 24gc on track. Hye and barley little doing. Whiskey steady at 92. Pork nominal \$12 25@12 50; dry salt, small order trade; bacon quit; clear rib and clear sold in round lots at 7c seller march. Lard, good demand, future 7c seller December and first half of February. Hoge un-

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7 .- No arrivals. Departed: Robert Mitchell. Receipts cot-ton 8,163. Flour dull, low treble extra \$7 @7 25; good \$7 50@7 75; choice \$8@-8 50; choice extra scarce and in demand \$8 75@10 25. Corn is in fair demand, yellow 62c; white 65c. Bran dull \$1 15. Pork dull \$13 25. Bacon scarce 54@84@10c. Hams duil 154@174. Cotton fair demand 194c. Sterling 214. Sight 1@1 discount.

changed.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 7.-Flour and grain firm, prices unchanged. Cotton quiet, middling 18jc. Whiskey steady at 88c. Pork quiet and unchanged; bulk meats firm, shoulders 3jc; clear rib 5jc; clear 5jc; bacon dull; shoulder 5c; clear rib 8jc, 54c; bacon dull; shoulder 5c; clear rib \$4c, clear 84c; green meats firm and unchanged; hogs steady at \$3 70@8 52; bulk of sales \$3 75@3 80; receipts, 11,427. Lard firm, steam 74c; kctle 74c.

New York, Dec. 7, 1 m.—Flour quiet.
Wheat firm and quiet at \$1 52@1 59; red winter, \$1 68@1 73; amber do. \$1 75@1 80.

Corn quiet and steady at 64c. Oats quiet and steady at 61@56c. Mess pork quiet at 16c. Lard dull at 7½c, quotations nominal. Whiskey quiet and firm at 94½c. CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Live hogs receipts to 11 a m. 16,876, and about 115 cars of stock

to arrive; official yesterday, 23,637, rather active at 10@15c; lower extreme \$3 60@3 95; bulk of sales, \$3 70@3 80. Cattle receipts light and market dull, prices NEW YORK, Dec. 7 .- Flour dull; super-Nxw York, Dec. 7.—Flour dull; super-Western, \$5 90@ 6 30; common to good \$6 90@ 7 05; good to choice \$7 10@ 7 85. Whisky quiet at 94½c; holders asking 95. Wheat firmly held, buyers holding off; No 1 spring \$1 64; No 2 \$1 45; winter red Western \$1 68@ 1 70; amber \$1 80. Bye scarce and firm. Barley quiet. Corn firmer; steamer mixed 63½@63; sail 64½c. Oats quiet and unchanged. Coffee quiet; Rio 16½@18c Sugar dull; refined 9½. Pork down: new mess 13@18½; Jan 13c.

their case to the attorney general this afternoon. The result of the conference is not different from that which concluded their interview with Judge Williams yesterday, namely: "That the government will not interfere unless some question arises under the constitution calling for federal intervention."

THE FERLING IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Telegrams were received here to-day by Louisiana members of congress, and officers of the government, giving statements from both sides. Private advices contain substantially the same information already conveyed, though each side denounces the other as assuming possession of the state in violation of all right. They request that the points of their respective statements be

choice 50@55c. Sugar dull and easier, inferior 5@5je; common to good common 6@7je; fair to fully fair 7j@8je; prime 8je; others nnchanged. Sterling 21j; sight j@j; gold 13j. Cotton easier, sales 6,500; good ordinary 17j@17je; low midding 18@19je; middling Orleans 16j@19je; receipts, 2,502. Excoastwise 2,188; Great Britain 2,600; Continent 4,766; stock 146,435.

#### RIVER NEWS.

NEW OBLEARS, Dec. 7.—No arrivals. Departed: City of Quncy, St. Louis; Belle Memphis, Jno. B. Maude, Chicot City yesterday. Weather clear and pleas

MEMPHIS. Dec. 7.-Weather clear and pleasant. River declining. Arrived:
Nashville, Cincinnati. Departed: City
of Chester, Mary Forsythe, for St. Louis; Bee and barges and P. W. Strader
for New Orleans; Dardanelle, White
river. The Hale and Church are due
from below, and Durfee from above. Nashville, Dec. 7.—River stationary, two foot on Harpeth Shoals.
Weather fair and pleasant.
St. Louis, Dec. 7.—Arrived: Alice,
Missouri river; Kanawha, Ohio river. De-

parted: Mary McDonald, Memphis, Kanawha, went down below to bring up her barges. The river is rising slowly, and the channel is cutting out. The weather is clear and mild. The Mary E. Poe was released from the gorge Friday evening by the St. Jos, and started for New Orleans.

EVANSVILLE, Dec. 4 .- Weather clear and mild. Mercury 33 to 46. River rising slow. Down: Tarascon 9 pm; Charmer 11; Andy Baum 8 a.m; Emms 5 p.m. Up: Mollie Ebert 2 p.m, Leclaire 9; Arkansas Belle 8:30; all with good

trips. Business duil.
Pirresura, Dec. 7-Monongahela about stationary with five feet two inches strong. No arrivals. Henry Probasco departed for Cincinnati at noon.
CINCINNATI, Dec. 7.—River rising with air feet eight inches in the channel.

Louisville, Dec. 7.—River falling slowly with 3 feet 8 inches in the canal, foot 8 inches in the chute. Weather mild. Only packets are moving. A tele-gram from the Underwriter's agent states hat the Grey Engle was raised with hand pumps, and has started up here to go on the docks. There is a hole knocked in her bottom 5 feet long and 3 feet wide.

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